

provide for limitations on copayments for contraception furnished by the Department of Veterans Affairs, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-and-nay vote of 240 yeas to 188 nays, Roll No. 160; and **Pages H2774, H2799**

LGBTQ Business Equal Credit Enforcement and Investment Act: H.R. 1443, amended, to amend the Equal Credit Opportunity Act to require the collection of small business loan data related to LGBTQ-owned businesses, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-and-nay vote of 248 yeas to 177 nays, Roll No. 162.

Pages H2787–89, H2800–01

Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Matsui wherein she resigned from the Committee on Natural Resources. **Page H2801**

Committee Election: The House agreed to H. Res. 475, electing a certain Member to certain standing committees of the House of Representatives.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Four ye-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H2798–99, H2799, H2800, and H2800–01.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 7:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

EXAMINING OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH AND INVESTMENT IN RURAL AMERICA

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit held a hearing entitled “Examining Opportunities for Growth and Investment in Rural America”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY FISCAL YEAR 2022 BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Armed Services: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Department of the Navy Fiscal Year 2022 Budget Request”. Testimony was heard from Thomas W. Harker, Acting Secretary of the Navy; Admiral Michael M. Gilday, Chief of Naval Operations; and General David H. Berger, Commandant of the Marine Corps.

FY22 BUDGET REQUEST FOR MISSILE DEFENSE AND MISSILE DEFEAT PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces held a hearing entitled “FY22 Budget Request for Missile Defense and Missile Defeat Programs”. Testimony was heard from Leonor Tomero, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Nuclear and Missile Defense Policy, Department of Defense; General Glen D. VanHerck, Commander, U.S.

Northern Command (USNORTHCOM); Vice Admiral Jon Hill, Director, Missile Defense Agency; Lieutenant General, Daniel Karbler, Commanding General, U.S. Army Space and Missile Defense Command; and Lieutenant General John Shaw, Deputy Commander, U.S. Space Command (USSPACECOM).

WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT REAUTHORIZATION: EXAMINING SUCCESSFUL MODELS OF EMPLOYMENT FOR JUSTICE-INVOLVED INDIVIDUALS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Investment held a hearing entitled “Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Reauthorization: Examining Successful Models of Employment for Justice-Involved Individuals”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BOOSTER SHOT: ENHANCING PUBLIC HEALTH THROUGH VACCINE LEGISLATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled “Booster Shot: Enhancing Public Health through Vaccine Legislation”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DIGITIZING THE DOLLAR: INVESTIGATING THE TECHNOLOGICAL INFRASTRUCTURE, PRIVACY, AND FINANCIAL INCLUSION IMPLICATIONS OF CENTRAL BANK DIGITAL CURRENCIES

Committee on Financial Services: Task Force on Financial Technology held a hearing entitled “Digitizing the Dollar: Investigating the Technological Infrastructure, Privacy, and Financial Inclusion Implications of Central Bank Digital Currencies”. Testimony was heard from Jenny Gesley, Foreign Law Specialist, Law Library of Congress; and public witnesses.

CYBER THREATS IN THE PIPELINE: LESSONS FROM THE FEDERAL RESPONSE TO THE COLONIAL PIPELINE RANSOMWARE ATTACK

Committee on Homeland Security: Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, Infrastructure Protection, and Innovation; and Subcommittee on Transportation and Maritime Security held a joint hearing entitled “Cyber

Threats in the Pipeline: Lessons from the Federal Response to the Colonial Pipeline Ransomware Attack”. Testimony was heard from Eric Goldstein, Executive Assistant Director for Cybersecurity, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, Department of Homeland Security; and Sonya Proctor, Assistant Administrator for Surface Operations, Transportation Security Administration, Department of Homeland Security.

OVERSIGHT OF THE JANUARY 6TH ATTACK: UNITED STATES CAPITOL POLICE CONTAINMENT EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM AND FIRST RESPONDERS UNIT

Committee on House Administration: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Oversight of the January 6th Attack: United States Capitol Police Containment Emergency Response Team and First Responders Unit”. Testimony was heard from Michael A. Bolton, Inspector General, U.S. Capitol Police; and Gretta L. Goodwin, Director, Justice and Law Enforcement Issues, Government Accountability Office.

ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE FOR COAL COUNTRY: SUPPORTING COMMUNITIES THROUGH THE ENERGY TRANSITION

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resource held a hearing entitled “Environmental Justice for Coal Country: Supporting Communities Through the Energy Transition”. Testimony was heard from Kyle Wendtland, Administrator, Land Quality Division, Department of Environmental Quality, Wyoming; and public witnesses.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 1154, the “Great Dismal Swamp National Heritage Area Act”; H.R. 1286, the “Southern Campaign of the Revolution National Heritage Corridor Act of 2021”; H.R. 1316, the “National Heritage Area Act of 2021”; H.R. 1424, the “St. Croix National Heritage Area Act”; H.R. 1908, the “Ka’ena Point National Heritage Area Act”; H.R. 1925, the “South Kona National Heritage Area”; H.R. 2024, the “Southern Maryland National Heritage Area Act”; H.R. 2107, the “Nation’s Oldest Port National Heritage Area Act”; H.R. 2359, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study to assess the suitability and feasibility of designating certain lands as the Los Caminos del Rio National Heritage Corridor, and for other purposes; H.R. 2899, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study to assess the suitability and feasibility of designating areas within the island of Guam as a National Heritage Area, and for other purposes;

H.R. 3222, the “Alabama Black Belt National Heritage Area Act”; and H.R. 3616, the “Bear River National Heritage Area Study Act”. Testimony was heard from Representatives Clyburn, Tonko, Plaskett, Case, Kahele, Rutherford, Cuellar, San Nicolas, and Moore of Utah; Joy Beasley, Associate Director, Cultural Resources, Partnerships, and Science, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Suzanne D. Case, Chair, Department of Land and Natural Resources, Hawaii; and public witnesses.

THE CAPITOL INSURRECTION: UNEXPLAINED DELAYS AND UNANSWERED QUESTIONS (PART II)

Committee on Oversight and Reform: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “The Capitol Insurrection: Unexplained Delays and Unanswered Questions (Part II)”. Testimony was heard from General Charles E. Flynn, Commanding General, U.S. Army Pacific; Lieutenant General Walter E. Piatt, Director of the Army Staff, U.S. Army; and Christopher Wray, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 2225, the “National Science Foundation for the Future Act”; and H.R. 3593, the “Department of Energy Science for the Future Act”. H.R. 2225 and H.R. 3593 were ordered reported, as amended.

REVERSING THE DECLINE IN WOMEN ENTREPRENEURSHIP: OPPORTUNITIES FOR REBUILDING THE ECONOMY

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Economic Growth, Tax, and Capital Access held a hearing entitled “Reversing the Decline in Women Entrepreneurship: Opportunities for Rebuilding the Economy”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMPACTS OF SHIPPING CONTAINER SHORTAGES, DELAYS, AND INCREASED DEMAND ON THE NORTH AMERICAN SUPPLY CHAIN

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation held a hearing entitled “Impacts of Shipping Container Shortages, Delays, and Increased Demand on the North American Supply Chain”. Testimony was heard from Daniel B. Maffei, Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission; Rebecca Dye, Commissioner, Federal Maritime Commission; Eugene D. Seroka, Executive Director, Port of Los Angeles, California; and public witnesses.

EQUITY IN SOCIAL SECURITY: IN THEIR OWN WORDS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing entitled “Equity in Social Security: In Their Own Words”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM (NIP) BUDGET OVERVIEW HEARING

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “National Intelligence Program (NIP) Budget Overview Hearing”. Testimony was heard from Avril Haines, Director of National Intelligence. This hearing was closed.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16, 2021

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2022 for the Department of the Interior, 10 a.m., SD-124.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2022 for the Department of Education, 10 a.m., SD-138.

Subcommittee on Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2022 for military construction and family housing, 10 a.m., SD-192.

Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2022 for the Department of Transportation, 2:30 p.m., SD-192.

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Caroline Diane Krass, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel, Gina Maria Ortiz Jones, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force, Ely Stefansky Ratner, of Massachusetts, and Shawn Graham Skelly, of Virginia, both to be an Assistant Secretary, and Meredith Berger, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, all of the Department of Defense, 10 a.m., SH-216.

Subcommittee on Strategic Forces, to hold hearings to examine United States nuclear deterrence policy and strategy, 4:30 p.m., SR-222.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: business meeting to consider S. 66, to require the Inter-Agency Task Force on Harmful Algal Blooms and Hypoxia to develop a plan for reducing, mitigating, and controlling harmful algal blooms and hypoxia in South Florida, S. 1747, to provide for an equitable management of summer

flounder based on geographic, scientific, and economic data, S. 1890, to require the Federal Trade Commission to conduct a study on scams that target travelers during the COVID-19 pandemic, S. 1995, to amend the Dingell-Johnson Sport Fish Restoration Act with respect to sport fish restoration and recreational boating safety, S. 1894, to designate Regional Ocean Partnerships of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, S. 2016, to authorize elements of the Department of Transportation, the nominations of Pamela A. Melroy, of New York, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Carlos Alberto Monje, Jr., of Louisiana, to be Under Secretary of Transportation for Policy, and Richard W. Spinrad, of Oregon, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere, and routine lists in the Coast Guard, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining, to hold hearings to examine S. 173, to provide for the designation of certain wilderness areas, recreation management areas, and conservation areas in the State of Colorado, S. 177, to amend the John D. Dingell, Jr. Conservation, Management, and Recreation Act to establish the Cerro de la Olla Wilderness in the Rio Grande del Norte National Monument and to modify the boundary of the Rio Grande del Norte National Monument, S. 182, to withdraw certain Federal land in the Pecos Watershed area of the State of New Mexico from mineral entry, S. 455, to designate and expand wilderness areas in Olympic National Forest in the State of Washington, and to designate certain rivers in Olympic National Forest and Olympic National Park as wild and scenic rivers, S. 554, to require the Secretary of Agriculture to conduct a study on the establishment of, and the potential land that could be included in, a unit of the National Forest System in the State of Hawaii, S. 567, to provide for conservation and economic development in the State of Nevada, S. 569, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to transfer certain National Forest System land to the State of South Dakota, S. 609, to withdraw the National Forest System land in the Ruby Mountains subdistrict of the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest and the National Wildlife Refuge System land in Ruby Lake National Wildlife Refuge, Elko and White Pine Counties, Nevada, from operation under the mineral leasing laws, S. 904, to require the Secretary of the Interior, the Secretary of Agriculture, and the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works to digitize and make publicly available geographic information system mapping data relating to public access to Federal land and waters for outdoor recreation, S. 1008, to require the Secretary of the Interior to develop a modeling tool, conduct a study, and issue reports relating to the tax equivalent amount of payments under the payment in lieu of taxes program, S. 1076, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to require the Secretary of the Interior to establish a program to plug, remediate, and reclaim orphaned oil and gas wells and surrounding land, to provide funds to State and Tribal government to plug, remediate, and reclaim orphaned oil and gas wells and surrounding land, S. 1128, to provide for the continuation of higher education through the conveyance to the University of Alaska of certain public land in the State of Alaska, S. 1222, to designate and adjust certain lands in the State of Utah as components of the National Wilderness Preservation System, and S. 1686, to amend the